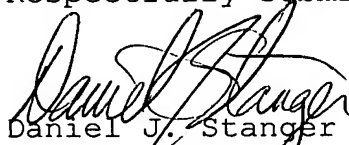


REMARKS

Claims 31-43 are now pending

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Daniel J. Stanger", is written over the printed name.

Daniel J. Stanger
Registration No. 32,846
Attorney for Applicant(s)

MATTINGLY, STANGER & MALUR, P.C.
1800 Diagonal Road, Suite 370
Alexandria, Virginia 22314
Telephone: (703) 684-1120
Facsimile: (703) 684-1157
Date: August 21, 2003